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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

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## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450

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Sir:

Applicants petition the Director of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated March 24, 2010, for one month from June 24, 2010, to July 24, 2010.

The extension fee is being paid electronically today. Please charge any additional required fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1258.

Respectfully submitted,

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